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First Named Inventor	Itaru Seta, et al.
Art Unit	2623
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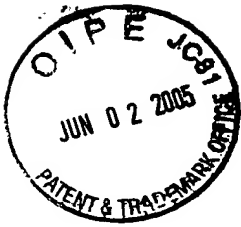
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Filed : September 22, 2000 Examiner: Mehrdad Dastouri  
For: : DISTANCE CORRECTING APPARATUS OF SURROUNDING  
MONITORING SYSTEM AND VANISHING POINT  
CORRECTING APPARATUS THEREOF

**AMENDMENT FILED WITH RCE**

June 2, 2005

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An Advisory Action issued May 3, 2005 maintaining the final Office Action of January 6, 2005. This Amendment is being filed concurrently with an RCE and request for time extension.

Kindly amend the above-identified patent application as follows: